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TEUTONS IN SEPLIA **CROSS MORAVA RIVER**

Gen. Von Gollwitz Has Occupied Kruzvac, One ZAPATA ARMY IN SOUTHERN of Servia's Largest Towns

BULGARIANS ARE ADVANCING FROM THE EAST

ed Another Defeat on the Austrians-Russians

the Austro-Germans and prevent them

from preparing positions for the win-

ter.
The Italians captured the Col di

Lana, and after a charge through the snow hoisted the Italian flag on the summit. The Austrian office ad-mits that the Col di Lana was taken by the Italians, but declares that counter attacks by the Austrians re-

suited in its recapture.

There has been no action of importance on the western front.

Submarines More Active.

tive. The British have sunk in the Baltic the German cruiser Undine, which was escorting a German ferry The British have sunk in the

steamer and now all the German ships

RELIEF OF WAR REFUGEES.

To Embrace Three Committees Which

Have Been Acting.

New York, Nov. 8.—Announcement was made here tonight that the three committees which have been minis-tering to the wants of war refugees

in the Turkish empire had consolidat ed their energier and would merge in to a single organization which would

continue the work of all three bodies. Armenian and Syrian relief and will

have its headquarters in this city

This committee will embrace Persian war relief committee, Syria-Palestine relief committee

The Syrian committee, which

These contributions have been through the Presbyterian board

transmitted, it was announced more than \$700,000 to Syrians for relief.

Wheelsman in Hospital From Beating

He Received by Two of Crew.

a beating he received and two mem-

bers of the crew, Albert S. Kuenk and Frank Benz, are under arrest and

will be given a hearing before a fed-

eral commissioner tomorrow.

The steamer's lines had just been

cast off the dock when the trouble

began, Captain William Jagnau told the police later. He feared an out-break and had sent Wheelsman Hamill

aft to see that all was well.

Mamill was seized, it is alleged, and

beaten into insensibility and several members of the crew, armed with re-volvers, rushed upon Captain Janau.

The captain retreated to the pilot-

house, from which he kept the men back with an you bar and shouted

word to a dock watchman who noti-

fled the police. When the police boat arrived Cap-

tain Jagnau picked out Shuenk and

Renz as the leaders and they were ar-

Disappeared in the Mail from Clinton

Mass., Last Week.

surance Company.

The German reichatag will meet

Boston, Nov. 8 .- Postoffice authori-

IN CHECKS MISSING

PACKAGES CONTAINING \$40,000

LAKES FREIGHTER.

een operating largely among

Jews in Syria and Palestine

MUTINY OF A GREAT

refugees.

foreign missions.

NEW ORGANIZATION FOR

Submarines are becoming more

The Austro-German have succeed-, an yattempt to advance. Acording to ed in crossing the Morava River, in Serbia and General Von Gallwitz has occupied Kruzvac, one of Serbia's largest towns, about thirty miles due northwest of Nish. The fall of Kruzvac means that the branch railway
line to Ushitze, near the Bosnian
frontier, has been broken by the invaders close to the point where it
leaves the main Belgrade-Nish-Salonikl line. A large number of prisoners,
fen guns and a lot of war material fell
into German hands.

The Bulgarian also are advancing
from the east, but in the west the northwest of Nish. The fall of Kruz-

from the east, but in the west the Mnotenegrins claim to have inflicted another defeat on the Austrians. The Austrians are said to be concentrating a ofrce of 120,000 men in Herzegovina for an invasion of Montenegro.

Russians Continue Offensive. The Russians continue their at-tacks in Courland, Volhynia and Ga-In the Mediterranean the Germans licia and while they report some suchave sunk several steamers, including cesses they are apparently not making the British boarding steamer Tara.

CHARGE OF DISCRIMINATION BY CHICAGO SALOONKEEPERS. Seek to Prevent Mayor From Stopping Their Sale of Tobacco and Soft

Drinks on Sunday. Chicago, Nov. 8 .- Ten saloon keepers today sought an injunction in the United States district court to re-strain Mayor Thompson and the city police from preventing them selling tobacco and non-intoxicating liquors on Sunday and to prevent the revocation of saloon licenses for such sales.
Discrimination against the saloon
keepers and in favor of the druggists and other storekeepers is alleged in the complaint which sets forth that under the present ruling of the city authorities saloon keepers are denied their right as retail dealers to sell tobacco, buttermilk, mineral waters and similar non-intoxicants.

The court is also petitioned to hold the Illinois anti-tippling statute which directs saloons to be closed on Sunday to be void and unconstitutional. Captain George Wellington Streeter, who for years has maintained that the city had no jurisdiction over what he terms "the district of Lake Michigan," a strip of land along Chicago's valuable lake front, was today put on trial in municipal court for selling liquor without a license. The court ruled that the district was under the city's jurisdiction as well as the acts of the captain. The police allege that Streeter yesterday disposed of 9,600 bottles of beer in his lunch rooms in the district, thereby violating the Sunday closing law. Streeter denied this and declared the federal government had jurisdiction over the Selection of a jury was begun

Streeter has been active for years in defense of his district. In 1886, his vessel stranded on a sandbar off Superior street. Streeter has contended that the land which gradually filled in between the boat and the old shore line was within the jurisdiction of neither the state nor the city of Chi-The fand formed has been the subject of much litigation.

BCDY FOUND IN SWAMP AT SCITUATE IDENTIFIED As That of Pavolo Scholardi, a Shoe-

maker, of Providence.

Providence, R. I., Nov. 8 .- A body found in a swamp at Scituate last week was identified today at that of Pavolo Scholardi, a shoemaker, of this ty. He was last seen alive on Sept. the day before Justice Willis S. Knowles was murdered in the same town, at a point a mile distant from the swamp. The medical examiner has decided that Scholardi was murdered, but there is no clue to his assailant. Members of his family said the man was lame and could not have reached the swamp alone. The authorities have been unable to establish any connection between the two murders.

DREDGING SATISFACTORY AT GAILLARD CUT But Canal Will Not Be in Use Before

Panama, Nov. 8 .- The progress of the dredging operations in the new lard cut has been so satisfactory that it is now virtually assured there will be a channel a hundred feet wide by thirty feet deep through the slide area by the middle of December.

The dredgers have been removing

ubic yards a month—an average of 5,000 cubic yards daily.
It is stated that while the chan-Hartford, Conn., Nov. 8.—Louis F.
Butler was elected today prosident of
the Travelers Insurance company and
the Travelers Indomnity company to
succeed Sylvester C. Dunham, who died
recently. Mr. Butlor has been vice
president of the Travelers for three
years and has been connected with the
company since 1880. nel probably will be open by the mid-die of December the canal will not be in condition for use much before the

ord Kesteven Killed in Balkans.

London, Nov. 8, 7.42 p. m.—The British steamers Buresk, of 2,278 tons, and Glenmore, of 1,656 tons, have been sunk. The crews were landed.

Spanish Budget Shows Deficit. Madrid, via Paris, Nov. 8, 9.55 p. m.— The Spanish budget for 1916, which was introduced in the chamber of dep-uties today, shows a deficit of 64,371,122 pesetas (about \$12,874,224).

MEXICO IS DWINDLING

Three Thousand Members Surrendered and Were Given Amnesty.

In the West the Montenegrins Claim to Have Inflict- little resistance.

of renewed activity in the petroleum industry. Numerous applications for permits to sink wells or lay pipe lines had been filled, it was said, and two new pipe lines for the Tampico region were contemplated.

C. Carothers, special agent of the de-partment at Douglas, Ariz., were very friendly. It was reported recently from the border that Obregon had protested to General Funston against the presence in Mexico of Carothers, who for a long time was the American representative with General Vil-la, but no word of such a protest has reached either the state or war departments.

A. F. OF L. ADMITS

Brewery Workers Are to Introduce

Resolution to Oust Them. prohibition movement.
Fraternal delegates of several

igious organizations, including ederal council of the churches Christ in America, were seated at the opening session today by unanimous approval of the report of the commit-

the Armenian atrocities committees, as organized at present. James L. Barton of Boston is to be chairman of the new organization; Samuel T. Dutton of this city, secretary and Charles R. Crane of Chicago, treasurer. The Persian committee will close its books November 20. It has already cabled \$70,000 for the relief of refugees. nel Gompers, president, received bronze plaque.

> SIXTY-ONE AMATEUR POETS Of 1,500 Who Paid \$10 Each to Enter a Song Poem Contest.

1,500 amateur poets scattered through-out the nation, who claim to have each put up \$10 to enter a song poem con-test, will be called as witnesses against John T. Newcomber, alias John T. Hall, who was placed on trial here

Buffalo, N. Y., Nov. 8.—Mutiny on a Great Lakes freighter, the first incident of the kind recorded here in many years, is alleged to have occurred tonight on the steamer J. K. Dimock of Detroit. As a result of the trouble Robert Hamilia wheelsman, in a hospital in a critical condition from the condition from t poems set to music.

> leged scheme was a continuation of the one that resulted in Robert B. Kellogg being sent to Atlanta peni-tentiary in December, 1903.

TOBACCO MERCHANTS OF Bring About More Profitable

the association, it is said, "will be to bring about the employment of health-ier and more profitable methods of do-

WOMAN WHO SHOT HUSBAND ESCAPED FROM HOSPITAL

Dartmouth Football Player.

Concord, N. H., Nov. 8.—Mrs. Mary Hardy Folsom, who shot and killed her husband, Henry H. Folsom, while driving on a country road outside of Exeter on June 20, 1914, escaped from Exeter on June 20, 1914, escaped from the New Hampshire state hospital Sunday night and has not been recaptured. Searching parties today were carefully examining the bank of the Merrimack river in the belief that she may have committed suicide. Mrs. Folsom, who was at the hospital for the determination of her sanity, was allowed to attenda chapel service Sunday night and after the corvice broke away from her attendant and fied. Henry H. Folsom was chairman of the lis Norwegian and the others Swedish. away from her attendant and fied. Henry H. Folsom was chairman of the Bomerville, Mass., school committee, and while at Dartmouth college won

EXCEEDS BY HALF A BILLION DOUBTS TRUTH OF TESTIMONY HARVEST OF 1914

ON PREVAILING PRICES

Wheat, With Largest Production Ever Known in Any Country, is About One-Fourth of World's Crop.

Washington, Nov. 8.—The nation's principal farm crops this year are worth about five and a half billion dollars, exceeding by more than than half a billion their value in 1914, the previous banner value year in the country's crop history. There has been an unprecedented harvest many of the crops exceeding their best records and high prices due to the in-fluence of the European war have contributed to swell the total value.

Most Valuable Corn Crop Ever. Statistics announced by the depart-nent of agriculture in its November crop report base values on prevailing November prices. Corn, with a pro-duction of 3,090,500,000 bushels—34,000-000 bushels below the record crop-is worth \$1,918,025,071, the most val-

More Wheat Than Last Year.

The oats crop also was a record one ooth in production and in value. The parvest was 1,517,478,000 bushels—al-

the record value of the 1914 crop.

The approximate value of the barley The approximate value of the barley crop is \$118,577,682; the rye crop, \$37,861,403; buckwheat, \$12,854,750; potatoes \$218,425,824; sweet potatoes, \$42,456,050; hay \$877,654,890; cotton, \$609,000,000; tobacco, \$105,002,500; flax seed, \$30,050,534; rice, \$22,313,350; apples, \$164,380,480; peaches, \$60,613,736; and pears \$9,275,634.

ASKED TO CO-OPERATE

Number of Prominent Americans Invited to Assist Chairman Hoover.

New York, Nov. 8 .- At the request commission for relief in Belgium, President Wilson has asked a number of prominent Americans to co-operate The Japanese delegates, representatives of the Laberers' Friendly Society of Japan, sat alone in the gallery of the convention hall until they had president are Otto T. Bannard, S. R. had president are Otto T. Bannard, S. R. the Berton, Herbert S. Eldridge, A. J. Hemphill, Melville E. Stone, Oscar S. Hemphill, Melville E. Stone, Oscar S. Straus and John Beaver White. In his letters of invitation the president says: at "Mr. Hoover, the chairman of the commission for relief in Belgium, has a approached me with regard to diffiport of an enlarged committee of gen-tlemen of large experienceto cooperate with him in settling and con-ducting the administration of the branch of the commission in the United States

> that the reserves of clothing among the poorer classes in Belgium will be exhausted by Christmas. They will soon make an appeal to the people the United States for clothing of the destitute in Belgium and northern France, who now number between 3,000,000 and 4,000,000.

> Mr. Hoover returns to Europe to-morrow on the Nieuw Amsterdam after a two weeks' visit to New York.

IN WABASH COLLEGE Committee Reports in Favor of Making It Compulsory.

Crawfordsville, Ind., Nov. 8 .- Students in Wabash college may be required to take a course in military instruction. A committee to which the question was referred some time ago, today reported to the president and board of trustees of the college that it had been found advisable to make military training compulsory in the

"We do not want to arouse a spirit of militarism in the republic," says the report, "but we do believe that every child born under the Stars and Stripes its membersship a billion and a half dollars of capital actively engaged in business. One of the main objects of of arms to interfere with the government of any other people, but we do insist that it is our duty to be ready to prevent any nation from setting an unfriendly foot upon our soil."

ment to the college of 'a military pro-fessor." The committee urges that congress be memorialized "to supplement existing law with such amend-ments as may be necessary to enable this college and any other institutions of learning which may desire to do so, to properly fit its students as citizen soldiers."

Condensed Telegrams

American marines occupied Fort Caplos, Hayti, near the northern bor-

British imports during October in-creased \$82,065,000. Exports increased \$16,835,000.

One hundred marines are being sent from Charleston to reinforce Ameri-can forces in Hayti.

General Obregon has taken command of the Carranza army in Sonora in an effort to crush General Villa.

Peter A. B. Widener, Philadelphia's wealthiest citizen, who died on Saturday, was buried yesterday. About 200 Irishmen of military age

sailed from Glasgow on the A liner California for New York. The seventh contingent of 250 men recruited in St. John's, N. F., for the British army has arrived in England.

King George's condition is so im-proved that no further bulletins will be issued by his attending physicians. Fifteen of the 18 provinces of China are said by the government to have voted for a monarchial form of gov-

Oregon's Sunday closing law, which has never been enforced, was declared valid by the Oregon district court at Portland. The text of the note, signed by Herr Zimmerman under secretary of state for foreign affairs and transmitted through Ambassador Gerard, follows: "The undersigned has the honor to

The war department named a board of officers to consider plans to enlarge the capacity of the military academy Governor Whitman and Highway Commissioner Duffey will leave Albany today for a few days' hunting trip in

Grand Duchess Marie of Luxemburg charged Dr. Leutsch, a lawyer, to form a new ministry, following the resigna-tion of the cabinet.

as a spy, that a false passport had been offered to him in the offices of the German admiralty staff; that Corvetionkaptain Prieger held a stock of faisified American passport blanks in the admiralty staff offices; and that the latter has shown him the watermarks in them as well as rubber stamps for the legalization of false passports, one and all are not true. The London Evening News publishes a despatch from The Hague saying that the Berlin Voswaerts has been suppressed temporarily

Mrs. Lavina Scranton, aged 73, of Burham, was struck and killed by a freight train on the New Haven road at Middlefield crossing. "With reference to the fact that one George T. Breckow, who was arrested in England as a spy, had been sup-plied with a false passport, the in-vestigations started have borne no re-

The White Star liner Cymric arrived at New York from Liverpool with 351 passengers and \$1,350,000 in gold for New York banks.

tion of the war, certain individuals in the occupied enemy territory and also in neutral countries endeavored to make a trade of issuing false papers of legitimation and of selling them for a good price. In this way a passport falsifiers den was raided in Antwerp, Hundreds of young men of military age have applied to the British foreign office for passports, with which they hope to escape the conscription they One hundred thousand school chil-

which was already in existence when Antwerp was occupied by German troops. It may well be assumed that the passport found on Breckow orig-inated from such a plant. dren of Cleveland and East Cleveland have been invited to be the guests of John D. Rockefeller at the Cleveland lower show this week Because of his serious illness, General Huerta was removed from Fort Bliss, Texas, to has home at El Paso, where he will receive the attention of "As far as the alleged testimony given by Rosenthal and Breckow be-fore the English law is concerned, ac-

his wife and family. At the Argentine embassy at Washactually have, been given—it must be assumed that the accused were induced by threats, promises or other means of pressure during the examination to invent these statements in the belief that they might be of interest for the content of the conte

ton for his son's ranch in Prineville, Ore. He expects to return shortly after December 1 in order to begin work on his inaugural address

punishment by placing the responsi-bility for the false passports on the authorities and not on themselves. Strong doubts exist here, however, as

De Marinis, daughter of Carlo De Marinis, an architect of New York city, government authorities, had prepared took out a marriage license at Provi-

While his accuser and a constable the oppodtunity to renew to the am-bassador the assurances of his highwaited for him to change his clothes that they might arrest him on a charge of forgery, Monroe Boyce, a farmer living near Matawan, N. J., shot and

> A lion that escaped from his cage at Hempstead, L. I., as he was about to be sold at auction, caused a panic among the spectators. It was caught by the owner of the kennels where the lion was kept.

London, Nov. 8, 8.35 p. m.—The de-bate on the conduct of the war and the censorship was resumed in the house The United States is suffering from of lords this afternoon. Earl Loreburn, former high chancellor, brought up the subject, declaring that he took this aca dollar bill shortage, according to Treasurer John Burke, who says that the demand for the one dollar bill is so great that the treasury has not been able to meet it. quis of Lansdowne, the minister with-out portfolio, had not made adequate reply to the arguments of Viscount

Judgments aggregating \$150,000 have been filed at Charlestown, W. Va., against Col. John T. McGraw, demo-Va., cratic national committeeman from West Virginia, and a number of his business associates.

The thirty-five brewery workers, who went on strike at the Hubert Fischer brewery, Hartford, Wednes-day, because one of their number was discharged for taking an afternoon off, have returned to work.

The large plant of the General Railway Signal Co. at Rochester, N. Y., will be converted into a war munitions plant, following the receipt of a war order said to amount to \$7,000,000 from J. P. Morgan & Co.

James Patterson, aged 76, a clerk in the navy department for nearly 50 years, died at Washington. He was a Civil war veteran and a member of the Greely Arctic Relief expedition commanded by Capt, Schley, J. S. N.,

Rear Admiral Winslow, commander of the Pacific fleet, reported to the navy department that he had taken aboard his flagship, the San Diego, all the passengers and crew of the steamship Fort Bragg, which went ashore near Point Palmilla, Cal.

Copenhagen, Nov. 6.— Arrived, steamer Oscar II, New York.
New York, Nov. 6.—Arrived, steamer Amerika, New York.
Liverpool, Nov. 7.—Arrived, steamers Tuscania, Liverpool; Lapland, Liverpool via Halifax.
Lisbon, Nov. 8.—Arrived, steamer Roma, New York and Providence for Marsoilles. Coal operators in eastern Pennsylvania potitioned the interstate commerce commission to reopen the hard coal rate case and prescribe lower rates on the smaller sizes of anthracite from the Lehigh and Wyoming regions to tidewater for transshipment. Sailed: steamer Patria (from Marsellies (New York.

Montreal Nov. 8.—Arrived, steamer
Missanible, Liverpool; Sicilian, Lon-

Wales Miners Threaten Strike. Cardiff, Nov. 2, 10.50 p. m. — The Rhendda district miners, numbering fifty thousand, have decided to tender a fertnight's notice on November 15 that they will stop work until all the men employed in the sollieries join the South Wates Miners' federation.

Bunker Fire on French Steamship

ROCHAMBEAU SENDS REPORT B WIRELESS

MAKING FOR HALIFAL

Two Days Out of New York Approximately 650 Persons Aboar -Message Said "No Danger at All

New York, Nov. 8.—The French Liz steamship Rochambeau, two days or of New York for Bordeaux, reported b wireless today to have fire in her co bunkers, was presumably steaming to night for Halifax, the nearest pop Her exact position was not given in the single wireless message that broug news of her plight to land, but it wa estimated that she would make Hali fax some time late tonight or earl

650 Persons and War Supplies. Aboard the burning steamer are ap proximately 650 persons-421 passer gers and a crew of about 230-and

large cargo of war supplies, includin 2,541 cases of cartridges and 136 bale Making for Halifax;

The fire which turned the vesse from her course toward the northern port of Halifax is deep in the hold, it No. 5 reserve coal bunker, which i located amidships. This message sai that the vessel was in no danger an from its tone officials here of th French Line inferred that the situation was not serious.

Agents Not Alarmed.

"We are not alarmed," said Faguet, general agent of the "Bunker fires are not uncommon, no are they generally very serious, as the are away from the cargo space.

Only One Message. Only one wireless message had been received from the steamer when the

French Line offices closed at the usus hour tonight. This was from Captali Juham and reached the offices her about 2.30 p. m. It read as follows: "Fire in No. 5 reserve coal bunker Fighting fire and have turned to Hali fax. Hope to put it out. No dange at all." Had Sailed 600 Miles.

The Rochambeau left New York Sat-

urday afternoon. It was that she had sailed 600 miles wireless message was received today This would still keep her within the ocean lane traveled by the big trans-Atlantic liners and despite the silence over the sea, enforced by British ad miralty censors, there is reason to be-lieve that at least three ships are within close steaming distance, avail-able for and in emergency.

Lifeboats and Rafts Sufficient.

Lifeboats and liferafts sufficient for 1,500 persons, more than twice the Rochambeau when she sailed, accord-ing to the line's officials. In addition the steamer is equipped with the usua fire-fighting apparatus required in the

case of ocean liners. Cartridges the Only Explosives.

The big cargo, which weighted the teamer low in the water as she sailed Lieutenant Voneplon of the German gunboat Cormoran, interned at Guam and three sailors of the gunboat are on their way to the Norfolk navy yard where they have been transferred.

Stews, some of the sampty snears could be learned tonight, the far as could be learned tonight, the cartridges were the only explosives aboard. Chief of the inflammable material was the relatively small amount cotton.

There seemed to be some doubt to whether Captain Juham would take his vessel into Halifax, although his message said that he was making for that port. Mr. Faguet thought that if the fire were extinguished and the damage slight, the Rochambeau might resume her trip to Bordeaux without touching at Halifax. In this event, he expected another message from Captain Juham.

In the absence of information defining the cause of the fire, maritime circles wondered today if the accident was another of the long list at-tributed to the activity of bomb carriers and placers. Ship after ship, laden with supplies from the allies, has sailed out of New York within the past eight months with bombs secreted in her hold, and in many cases these bombs have exploded.

Rio Lages Fire.

Within the past few days the steamwithin the past few days the steamer Rio Lages, from New York to Queenstown with augar, caught fire at sea and put into Halifax with fire in her hold. Her captain attributed the fire to a bomb hidden in a sugar bag. Sugar seems to have been selected frequently for hiding bombs on ship. The Rochambeau, it was said, carried no sugar.

List of Steamers on Which Bombs Were Found. The list of steamers sailing from

New York to Europe upon which bombs were found, and in some cases explosions occurred, and their sailing dates, include the following:

Touraine, March 6; Devon City, April 27; Lord Erne, April 29; Crossington Court, April 29; Samland, May 1; Lord Downshire, May 1; Kirkoswald, May 2; Strathtay, May 8; Bankdale, May 8; Minnehaha, July 9; Craigside, July 24; Athinia, Sept. 8; Sant' Anna, Sept. 13.

FORMAL NOTIFICATION OF RECALL OF DUMBA. Delivered to Secretary Lansing-Will Be Made Public Today.

Washington, Nov. 8 .- Baron Zweidenek, charde of the Austro-Hungarian embassy, delivered to Secretary Lans-ing today formal notification of the recall of Dr. Constantin T. Dumba, whose withdrawal as Austro-Hun-garian ambassador, was requested by the United States on account of his plans for formenting strikes in Amercan munition plants.
The notification was The notification was in writing and it will be translated and made public

Maiden Trip of Steamer Lafayette. New York, Nov. 8.—The steamship Lafayette of the French line which left Bordeaux October 31 on its maidon trip, arrived at quarantine tonight.

The Lafayette, 590 feet long, with a passenger capacity of 3,000, is a quadruple series vessel of 23,680 fons. It is due to sail on its return trip next

the First of the Year.

Boston, Nov. 8.—Postoffice authorities today were investigating the disappearance in the mail from Clipton, Mass., last week of packages containing \$40,000 in checks, which should have been delivered to the First National bank in this city on Wednesday or Thursday. A package of checks from the First National bank of Leominster for another Boston bank also has failed to arrive, although it is stated it should have reached its destination by should have reached its destination by this time. Payment on the checks has debris at a rate exceeding 1,000,000 L. F. Butler President Travelers In-

London, Nov. 9, 2.34 a. m.—Lord Kesteven has been killed in the Balkans, where he was attacher to an ar-tillery regiment. Lord Kesteven, who was 14 years of age, was the sixth peer to fall in the present war.

Cabled Paragraphs

Two British Steamers Sunk.

Washington, Nov. 8 .- Zapata's army rapidly, according to cable advices re-ceived tonight by the Carranza agency here. General Pablo Goszales, march-

"Three thousand members of Za-pata's following surrendered yesterday and were given amnesty," said the message, "and for many days groups

State department advices today said relations between General Obregon, the Carranza commander, and George

FRATERNAL DELEGATES

San Francisco, Nov. 8.—The Ameri-can Federation of Labor at the close of the first session of its 35th annual convention today closed the question of barring from future conventions fraternal delegates of religious organ-izations. A sharp conflict was prom-ised for tomorrow's session, when, it was announced Milwaukee brewery workers would introduce a resolution oust such delegates on the ground of their professed alliance with the

tee on credentials, which failed to recommend at the time the seating of two labor delegates from Japan.

been extended the "courtesies of the convention." Today's session was adjourned to permit the delegates to celebrate American Federation of Labor day at the Panama-Pacific exposition Sam-

TO BE CALLED AS WITNESSES New York, Nov. 8 .- Sixty-six of the

oday on charges of using the malls

Assistant Federal Attorney Hart-ridge told the jury today that the al-

UNITED STATES ORGANIZE

Method of Doing Business. New York, Nov 8 .- Organization of the Tobacco Merchants' association of the United States was perfected at a meeting of representatives of the various branches of the tobacco trade held here today. Jacob Werthelm, formerly president of the United Ci-gar Manufacturers' company, was elected president of the new organiza-tion, which is said to represent through ion, which is said to represent through

Murdered Man Was Once a Famous

fame as a football player, ledine stains the skin brown and stains starch blue.

Farm Crops Most German Reply on Valuable Ever Misuse Passports

IN BRITISH COURTS DURING TRIAL OF SPIES

Denies That German Government Officials Had Prepared Fake American Passports to Agents.

Text of the Note.

state the following to His Excellency, the _n. James W. Gerard, in reply to the letter of July 31, last, concerning the alleged issuing of false American passports by the German authorities.

False Testimony Charged.

"The assertions made by Robert Rosenthal, who was shot in England

Individuals Issue Fake Passports.

sult. It is an established fact, how-ever, that during the present situa-

Accused Intimidated by Threats.

cording to which German officers pre-pared false passports and handed them

that they might be of interest for the

Doubt Such Testimony Was Given.

to whether the alleged testimony was actually given. In any case, the as-

sumption that German government of-ficials with the knowledge of German

false American passports and handed the mtoagents, must be energetically

HOUSE OF LORDS DEBATES

"The undersigned avails himself of

Administration Was Severely Criticized

tion owing to his belief that the Mar-

Earl Loreburn spoke of what

termed "the misadventures" of the Antwerp expedition, the loss of Rear Admiral Sir Christopher Cradock's squadron, the Dardanelles operations

and the Balkan expedition.

The speaker said he had been told

two months ago that fifteen million

men had been killed or disabled for life and that multitudes had been

life and that multitudes had been added to this number since, and that

if the conflict continued indefinitely revolution or anarchy" might follow

Earl Loreburn, who was one of the adical stalwarts who criticized the outh African war, today, oddly

enough, found nimself supported by Viscount Milner, former high commis-sioner for South Africa, who was one of those largely responsible for the South African war. Viscount Milner, however, largely confined himself to a

criticism of the censorship. He de-

clared that the news had been "doctored in an optimistic sense" and also denounced the government for not going sooner to the assistance of Serbia.

Movements of Steamships.

found himself supported by

by Earl Loreburn.

ON WAR AND CENSORSHIP.

"There may have hoped to obtain mitigation of the impending severe

enemy state.

refuted. .

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Washington, Nov. 8.—Germany, in a note which reached the state department today, in reply to Secretar, Lansing's representations on the mis Lansing's representations on the mis-use of American passports expresses doubt as to the truth of testimony be-fore British courts during trials of spies and emphatically denies that "German government officials had pre-pared false American passports and handed them to agents."

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FOR RELIEF IN BELGIUM.

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"I am so much impressed with the importance of this institution, on which the lives of so many people are de-pendent, that I venture to say to you that I would personally be very much

gratified if you could see your way to join such a committee."

The committee have been informed

MILITARY INSTRUCTION

The committee recommends that the president of the university call on the secretary of war for the assign-

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Cameronia, Glasgow. Congregationlists opose higger armaments "unless the United States is it, grave peril." When, of course, it will be too late.—Wall Street Jour-